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IN RE PATENT APPLICATION OF:

STEPHEN P. WILLIAMS, ET AL..

SERIAL NO.: 09/768,975

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Art Unit 2652

Examiner: Not Assigned

FOR: A DUAL STAGE, HEAD STACK ASSEMBLY FOR A DISK DRIVE

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is:

Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Application

Executed Inventor Declaration

Copy of Form PTO-1533

Small Entity Status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

The proceedings herewith are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply.

Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 (fees: 37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d)) for the total number of months checked below:

Extension (months)	Fee (other than small entity)	Fee (small entity)
one month	\$ 110	\$ 55
two months	\$ 380	\$ 190
three months	\$ 870	\$ 435
four months	\$ 1360	\$ 680

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The fee for claims has been calculated as shown below:

	Claims (After Amendment)	Highest Prev. Paid For	Extra	Rate
Total			0	\$22
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION**

This is in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed on 3/12/01. This Response is being timely filed within 2 months from the date of the Notice.

Attached hereto, Applicant submits an executed inventor Declaration and a copy of form PTO-1533. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee set forth in the Notice to Deposit Account 50-0283.

Respectfully submitted,  
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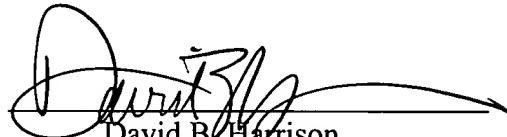
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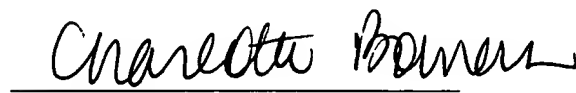
  
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